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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Steven Barrett Rogers et al. : Paper No.:

Serial No.: 09/666113 : Group Art Unit: 1746

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For: **Method of Orienting of Shoes in a Washing Machine and Devices for Aligning Shoes in a Washing Machine**

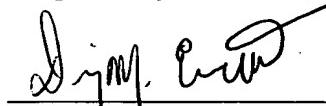
**TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Dear Sir:

The present application was filed with five sheets of informal drawings. It is requested that the five sheets of formal drawings attached hereto be substituted for the informal drawings previously submitted in this application. It is believed that these formal drawings overcome the objection to the drawings noted by the Examiner in the Notice Allowability sent on April 6, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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